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FROM THOMAS H. MARSHALL, ESQ.

MARYLAND the 18th. of June 1769

SIR/

Having sum Company, and the Wind Blowing fresh, Prevented my Attending on you this day, as Intended: However immagin this may satisfy you, in Answer to your's, by Mr. Lund Washington, Relative to my Lands in Virginia — I would Readily make an Exchange, for Mr. Alexander's Land on this side, Provided I could be made safe in Regard to Conveyance, As his Wife is not of sufficient Age to Co[n]vey the same, And the Land Under a Strong Intale, However that would be Easilly wiped of, (heare) was Mrs. Alexander of Suffitiant age — On your giveing me a suffitiant Indemnification in Regard to Mr. Alexanders Land bein made over to me &c. when his Wife is Qualified so to do, And we can Agree on the Part of the Land you will Take in Exchange, Shall be Ready to Comply. And as to the Ballance of my Land in virginia, (When An oppertunity shall offer, that I can make a Conveneant Purchase heare) Will Let you have the Remainder at 40/ Virginia Cury. Pr. Acct, Paid in English Guns. Pistoles & Silver Dols. or lther of them, at their Current Value, — these Are the Terms, and no Other that will Induce me to Part with my Virginia Land, And as I am not well Acquainted with the Situation thereof Should be Greatly oblige to you for the Platt you sent over to me sum time ago, by Mr. Lund Washington which will Take Care of and Return safe

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I am Sr. your Most Hble Servt. THOS HAN, MARSHALL